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C O N F I D E N T I A L GEORGETOWN 0594

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, PORG, GY  
SUBJECT: MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS: NACFM CONSULTATIONS

REF: STATE 64158

1. DURING A MEETING ON OTHER MATTERS MARCH 23, FOREIGN  
MINISTER WILLS REQUESTED THAT I MEET WITH HIM ON FRIDAY  
AFTERNOON MARCH 25 TO DISCUSS ISSUES THAT MIGHT ARISE AT  
THE NAMFC AT NEW DELHI. HE IS BEGINNING HIS PREPARATIONS AND  
CONSULTATIONS FOR THE NAMFC.  
HE SAID THAT TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, GUYANA WOULD LIKE TO  
BE ACCOMMODATING TO THE UNITED STATES AND DEFINITELY WANTED TO  
AVOID TAKING POSITIONS WHICH WOULD ALIENATE THE US.

2. WILLS SAID THAT THE CUBANS ARE BEHIND AN EFFORT TO MAKE  
GUYANACHAIRMAN OF THE POLITICAL COMMITTEE AS AN EFFORT TO  
RADICALIZE THE COMMITTEE. WILLS SAID HE DOES NOT WANT GUYANA  
TO BECOME CHAIRMAN FOR A NUMBER OF REASONS. FIRST, GUYANA  
IS MORE EFFECTIVE IN WORKING IN THE DRAFTING COMMITTEES AND IN  
LOBBYING THAN ON THE "FRONT LINE." ALSO AS CHAIRMAN,  
GUYANA WOULD BE SUBJECTED TO PRESSURES FROM ALL SIDES.  
GIVEN GUYANA'S INTERNAL POLITICS, THE CHAIRMANSHIP  
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WOULD BE A POLITICAL LIABILITY.

3. GUIDANCE REQUESTED. THIS EMBASSY WAS NOT INCLUDED  
AMONG THOSE ON REFTEL TO MAKE REPRESENTATIONS AT THIS  
TIME. I RECOMMEND, HOWEVER, THAT I BE AUTHORIZED TO  
MAKE REPRESENTATIONS TO WILLS ON THE ISSUES OUTLINED  
REFTEL. AT THIS TIME, THE GUYANESE APPEAR TO WANT TO

COOPERATE WITH THE UNITED STATES TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE  
NOT ONLY ON MULTILATERAL ISSUES BUT OTHERS AS WELL.  
I BELIEVE WE SHOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OPPORTUNITY  
TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE MODERATION OF ONE OF THE  
TRADITIONALLY MORE RADICAL PARTICIPANTS IN THE NAM.  
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